

EXHIBIT H



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20580

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SEP 30 2011

Re: FOIA-2011-00960
Alcoholic Beverages, et al.

Dear Mr. Carter:

This is a final response to your request dated May 20, 2011, under the Freedom of Information Act seeking access to all documents relating to liquor et., al. from January 1, 2008 to the present. In accordance with the FOIA and agency policy, we have searched our records, as of May 20, 2011, the date we received your request in our FOIA office.

For this response we have located and reviewed over 1100 pages of responsive records, I am granting partial access to and am enclosing copies of, the accessible records. Approximately 900 pages, and portions of other pages, fall within the exemptions to the FOIA's disclosure requirements, as explained below.

Some responsive records contain staff analyses, opinions, and recommendations. Those portions are deliberative and pre-decisional and are an integral part of the agency's decision making process. They are exempt from the FOIA's disclosure requirements by FOIA Exemption 5.5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(5); *see NLRB v. Sears, Roebuck & Co.*, 421 U.S. 132 (1975).

Furthermore, some responsive records contain personal identifying information. This information is exempt from release under FOIA Exemption 6, 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(6), because individuals' right to privacy outweighs the general public's interest in seeing personal identifying information. *See The Lakin Law Firm v. FTC*, 352 F.3d 1122 (7th Cir. 2003).

Based on the fee provisions of the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(4)(A), and the Commission's Rules of Practice, 16 CFR § 4.8 et seq., as amended, I am also enclosing an invoice for the charges we incurred for this partial response to your request. Failure to pay this bill promptly will result in our refusal to provide copies of accessible documents in response to future requests. If not paid within 30 days, this bill will accrue interest penalties as provided by Federal Claims Collection Standards, 31 C.F.R. § 900-904, as amended.

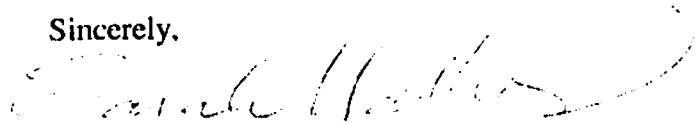
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Washington, DC 20580

If you are not satisfied with this response to your request, you may appeal by writing to Freedom of Information Act Appeal, Office of the General Counsel, Federal Trade Commission, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington D.C. 20580, within 30 days of the date of this letter. Please enclose a copy of your original request and a copy of this response. If you believe that we should choose to disclose additional materials beyond what the FOIA requires, please explain why this would be in the public interest.

If you have any questions about the way we handled your request, or about our FOIA regulations or procedures, please contact Michael Killoy at (202) 326-3475.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Sarah Mathias", written over a light blue horizontal line.

Sarah Mathias
Associate General Counsel for Project Management

Enclosed:
Documents
Invoice